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Sir:

Applicant submits a petition for a one-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) in order to keep the above-referenced patent application pending so that a Request for Continued Examination may be filed under 37 C.F.R. 1.114. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any underpayments to deposit account number 11-1110

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Respectfully submitted,

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